



PERSONAL NOTES

Arrivals and Departures of Residents and Visitors

IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

The Column Everybody Reads—Chat About Your Friends and Neighbors—Here and There.

Elmer Sliger and his daughter Vera, were in Bedford on business Monday.

William Weyant of Inler was in Bedford Wednesday.

Mr. Joseph M. Crissman of Osterburg spent Wednesday in Bedford.

Mr. Frank McCleary of Washington D. C. is visiting his sisters in Bedford.

Blair Knisely of Reynoldsdale transacted business in Bedford Monday.

I. M. Ebersole, of New Enterprise was in Bedford on Tuesday.

Miss Bess Howard, of Everett was a visitor of friends in Bedford Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Harvey Grubb, of Everett Rt. 3, was visiting friends in Bedford on Tuesday.

Bedford and Coaldale will play a ball game this afternoon in North Side Park.

Mr. Luther Diehl, of Dayton, Ohio is spending some time in Bedford with relatives and friends.

Mrs. George C. Biser and daughter, Mary Sue are visiting relatives and friends in Frederick, Md.

Miss Mary Bain is spending some time with relatives and friends in Clearfield, Pa.

Mr. George Bain spent a few days the first of the week visiting in Clearfield.

Mrs. Joseph Booty and daughter Miss Ruth are visiting relatives and friends in Shippensburg.

Mr. Joseph Armstrong and son of Johnsonburg are visiting his sisters Misses Anna and Laura Armstrong.

Mr. A. J. Pennell of Ramling, was a business visitor to Bedford on Wednesday.

Miss Leah Weyant and Miss Mattie Miller of Cessna, spent Wednesday in Bedford.

Miss Elizabeth Reiley of Tyrone, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Risser on South Richard Street.

Mr. Joseph Daniels, of St. Louis, is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Daniels.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mortimore of Dayton, Ohio and Miss Ella Mortimore of Washington are visiting in Bedford.

D. S. Horn, Esq., assistant to U. S. District Attorney, of Pittsburgh is greeting his many friends in Bedford this week.

Miss Mary Gibson of South Juliana Street left yesterday for a weeks visit with her grandfather, Mr. John W. Barkman, of Monroe.

Mr. Thomas Gephart of Altoona spent Wednesday in Bedford with his parents Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Gephart of East Pitt Street.

Aunt Nan O'Neal returned from Clear Ridge where she visited friends. She will visit in Harrisburg, after which she will return to Ohio for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Struckman, Miss Gertrude Oyler and Mr. Ross Thompson of Mann's Choice and Miss Ethel Oyler of Philadelphia, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Jacob Hoover.

Joseph Barkman of Bedford and daughter, Grace, of Philadelphia started Wednesday to visit relatives and friends in Akron Ohio, Chicago and Archer, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Eichler and sons, Ronald and Maynard of Washington, D. C., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Gibson on Monday.

Prof. Thomas Elias of New York one of Bedford's successful young men is at home for a short time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Arnold on West Penn street.

An aeroplane landed on the Dr. Miller farm on the Clearville Road near Everett on Tuesday afternoon about 5 o'clock. It was a treat to the people of Everett to have a free exhibition.

Russell McElfish of Chaneyville passed through Bedford Monday on his way to Edgewood near Pittsburgh where he has a position as principal of a High School. William Kneel also of Chaneyville accompanied him.

The Rev. R. S. Oyler, Ph. D., and family of Williamsport, Pa., who motored to Mann's Choice where they have been visiting friends returned to their home last week. Dr. Oyler is pastor of one of the largest Methodist churches in the city of Williamsport.

Mrs. R. R. James and children, who had been visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Margaret Powell on South Juliana Street, have gone to Washington, D. C., to join Mr. James in a two weeks vacation after which they will return to their home in New York.

Sergeant Irvin F. Holsinger, formerly a resident of Morrison's Cove who served four years, and two months in the Marines and who was overseas, has been discharged from service and was in Bedford Wednesday. Sergeant Holsinger was twice wounded having a machine gun bullet through his heel and another through the arm.

Smouse Reunion

The annual Smouse reunion will be held August 30th the last Saturday of the month, in Lakemont Park Altoona. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

P. O. S. OF A.

ANNUAL STATE CONVENTION

SIXTY BANDS

Many Notables to Attend Sessions

The attention of the citizens of Pennsylvania is directed to the Annual State Camp Sessions of the greatest patriotic organization on earth, the Patriotic Order Sons of America, in the City of Bethlehem, August 26th, 27th and 28th.

This State Camp will be a welcome home celebration for the 23,547 members of this order, who entered the service of the United States eight hundred of them made the supreme sacrifice. Nearly a division of the returned boys will participate in the great Victory Parade on Thursday the 28th, when 20,000 members of the order with Sixty Bands from every point in Pennsylvania will march the streets of Bethlehem in honor of victory and sacrifice. The United States Railroad Administration has granted special rates to the delegates and their families from all points in Pennsylvania, as well as many special trains. A special train will carry Philadelphia's delegation to the State Camp from the Reading Terminal at five o'clock, Monday the 25th and on parade Thursday, a Special Train will leave Manayunk at seven thirty, via the Reading Terminal, carrying two thousand paraders from Philadelphia with three Brass Bands.

Two thousand dollars worth of prizes have been offered by the local committee to Camps, Commanderies and Companies of Pennsylvania. Reserves who parade, while the local business houses will also present prizes to the marchers.

The State Camp Headquarters will be removed from 1317 North Broad Street during the Convention to the American House, Broad & New Streets, where State Secretary C. B. Helms and his assistants will open headquarters for the Convention Week.

The program of entertainment will commence Sunday evening, August 24th with a religious patriotic service in the Lorenz Theatre when State President John W. Harper and State Chaplain Harry Daniels will deliver addresses.

Monday August 25th Reception to the officers, delegates and members of the State Camp at State Camp Headquarters, and in the evening at eight o'clock a Large Victory Class Initiation under the direction of the State Executive Committee in the High School Auditorium. Camp 39's Initiatory Team doing the work. Five hundred candidates will be initiated.

Tuesday morning at nine o'clock the State Camp Sessions will open with the opening exercises in charge of the local committee, and later with State President John W. Harper in charge. Sessions of the State Camp will be held Tuesday and Wednesday morning and afternoon and Thursday morning. The election of officers will take place Tuesday afternoon. The only contest known to date is for State Conductor between Harry J. Stone of Camp 688 of Philadelphia the present State Inspector and A. D. Boyer of Camp 36 of Pottsville.

Tuesday evening in the Lorenz Theatre where the sessions will be held, the War Advisory Board will conduct a grand Public Victory Celebration with the Honorable Boise Penrose United States Senator and Auditor General Charles A. Snyder as the main speakers and the Chairman of the Board, Hon. Gabriel H. Moyer, a Past State President presiding. Wednesday evening at seven o'clock the members and families will assemble at Central Park where an old fashioned picnic lunch will be served and patriotic exercises held with the Honorable Judge A. W. Johnson of Lewisburg and Past State President Gabriel H. Moyer as the speakers. Thursday at two o'clock the great Victory parade will be held.

The Patriotic Order Sons of America have been making the best progress of their history during the last twelve months under the leadership of this committee and have increased their membership in that time 6,016 giving the order a total membership over 125,000 in Pennsylvania alone with nine hundred subordinate camps.

A campaign has already been launched which is expected to give the order a total of 150,000 members by June 30th, 1920 and every effort is to put forth in the state looking toward that end. The organization was founded in the city of Philadelphia in 1847 and is seventy three years of age December 10th.

A movement is to be started at this State Camp, looking toward the convention meeting in the city of Philadelphia in 1922 in a grand celebration of the Seventy Fifth Anniversary of this noted Patriotic society.

HAHN — MICKLE

On Saturday August 9th at St. John's Reformed parsonage, Bedford Pa., Rev. J. Albert Eyer united in marriage Mr. William E. Hahn of Alum Bank and Miss Anna Rhue Mickle of Cessna, Pa., R. D. The best wishes of a host of friends accompany these young people upon their new journey.

League of Nations Concerns World Civilization

Frederick Palmer perhaps the most widely known of American war correspondents, has had perhaps a larger experience of conflicts than any other man living. He covered the Greco-Turkish war of 1896, the Philippine campaign, the Boxer uprising, the Russo-Japanese war, various uprisings in Central America and the first and second Balkan wars. In the first year of the great war he was the accredited correspondent with the British Army representing the press of the United States. Soon after we entered the war Gen. Pershing appointed Palmer Chief Censor on the General Headquarters Staff, with the title of Mayor. He is the author of a number of books. His "America in France" is a fine story of the work and services of our army in the great conflict. The following in his article on the League of Nations:

We are making the League of Nations a partisan question when it is no more partisan than fresh air for school children or laboratory experiments to find a cure for tuberculosis or snake bites. It no more revolves around a single statesman's personality than the President of a railway is indispensable to the daily schedule of trains. Woodrow Wilson is one man, and ten million men have died in battle on the Continent of Europe. He is sixty years old, with perhaps twenty years of life before him. The League of Nations concerns the life and livelihood of billions of human beings for generations to come and the whole structure of world civilization.

I have voted the Republican ticket and I may connect the responsibility of the Democratic administration with the management of the Post Office, but I refuse to rely exclusively on this Administration or on any political party, grooming for the campaign of 1920, for the future welfare of American humanity or humanity in general.

We are told that the world war was inevitable. If so it was the product of the old system. Do we want to continue the old system in order to make another world war inevitable? Or are we going to try a new system? Many observers in Europe hold that if the new system—the League of Nations—had been in existence in 1914 we should have avoided the cataclysm which has immersed the wreckage of nations in the blood of their sons. This supposition of itself calls to the imagination of every progressive human being.

The soldiers who fought in Europe were fighting to preserve their children from another such war, as I have heard them say again and again. That was their sense of self-preservation of the late orgy of human slaughter. The cry of the Allied cause was not loot, as in the old days, but to end war. All Allied propaganda, in this modern antitoxin age, found that it must avoid any reference to the glory and adventure of war, which once had its appeal to that human nature, which the cynics say cannot change. Shall we be true in action to the thought which was the inspiration of the Allied cause, now that the cause has won?

Now in these days, when dirigibles and planes are crossing the Atlantic and drawing the nations still closer together, the statesmen and Generals who foregathered to make a treaty of peace under the direct mandate of modern sanitary democracy did not follow in the reactionary steps of the Holy Alliance. Instead of restoring fallen kings to thrones, they devised a covenant of a League of Nations which looks forward to a universal era of counsel and democracy, in which each nation shall be made secure in self-government in its own land. Are we to invoke the Monroe Doctrine against the very principle which it was meant to defend?

The purpose of the League of Nations is to try to stop war. To try to stop war! Are we against trying? Those who say that The Hague Conference and other methods devised in the past have failed only open the way of argument against their contention. Diplomacy has not stopped all wars, but it has stopped many wars. The Hague Conference was not a failure any more than any other effort, including any book or play or talk or legal disquisition or newspaper editorial, which had for its object the teaching of peace or the devising of means to insure it. Within recent times the Venezuelan dispute, the Agadir incident, the Japanese school question, the Canadian frontier dispute, the Persian question, the firing of the Russian fleet on British

ish trawlers, all were incidents which in the old days might have put the match to powder.

There were two great influences which I observed at the Paris Peace Conference. One was the passions of the old human nature which cynics say can never be improved—and therefore, if their advice were followed, would not be improved—with its racial hates, its suspicions, its predatory desire for annexations, and its spirit of revenge seeking retributory punishment for a beaten foe. The other sought to counteract and minimize all these influences which would breed future wars, and to draw the nations of the world together in an agreement that would be worthy of the dreams of a lasting peace of the men who had given their lives to end war.

In a complex and bubbling play of forces whether narrow and mediaeval or far seeing, which required long discussion and compromise the United States, with no territorial objects to gain, had an arbitral and mighty part. The League of Nations had to become an inseparable part of the treaty. As Mr. Wickham soon found when he went abroad in a critical mood, this could not be otherwise in the practical working out of negotiations, as every one else who has followed the Peace Conference knows. Though the covenant is far from the desires of extreme pacifists, who forget how arduous progress must be, it is the most forward practical step in international peace ever taken.

The old objects of conquest and the old grounds of suspicion are largely removed. The German and Austrian empires, formed according to the old system by the forcible annexation of conquered peoples by armies formed around royal dynasties, are resolved into as many states as there are races or people with language or practical interests in common dwelling within recognized territorial areas. Intolerable as is the Shantung provision, we must rejoice that far less than ever before where the mixture of races leaves the location of boundaries in doubt, is the decision to be barter of human beings at a council table. The doctrine of self-determination is invoked in the place of intrigue and bloodshed. While the citizens are not to decide as to their future nationality in all the disputed areas, the method is to be applied in five of the cases. How far public opinion may progress is shown by the declaration of thirty, wise and happy little Denmark, that she does not wish to annex a part of Schleswig, which is peopled by Germans.

This is a wondrous thing—a thing to make Louis XIV., King George III. and Frederick the Great turn in their graves, while William Hohenzollern saws wood at Amerongen. Indeed it shows that if human nature has not changed its method of expression has changed. A hundred years is not a long time in the history of this old planet, but it is only a century and half since George III. on his throne stood for taxation without representation, and Frederick the Great on his made wars of annexation the business of Prussia.

Carrying a step further the common law, which does not permit a man to overrun his neighbor's property, and a step further the Constitution of the United States, which does not permit the big State of Pennsylvania to overrun the little State of Delaware, the League of Nations will not permit one of the stronger old nations to overrun one of the smaller young nations, to which the covenant and the treaty gave birth. It is more than a step—a stride—of a significance we hardly realize, so accustomed have we become to sensational events within the last five years.

Is the nation which freed Cuba, and set her on her feet; which returned the Boxer indemnity to China; which brought popular education and sanitation to Porto Rico and the Philippines; which has sent its missionaries and teachers to distant lands, to repudiate the covenant, a covenant so eminently in keeping with its traditions and ideals?

But may we not be required to police Armenia or Esthonia? Does not the League mean that we shall be drawn into another European war? The old system, not the new, prevailed when we were drawn in 1917. The object of the new system (Continued on Elght Page)

1865 PRICES COMPARED TO 1919

Will eggs ever come down to 25 cents a dozen, milk to a nickel a quart, sugar to 4 cents, and bread to a jifney a loaf?

Perhaps never again; but they did after the Civil War, when prices were a lot higher than they are today.

You've heard a lot about those Civil war prices, but you probably thought our grandfathers were exaggerating and that the H. C. L. in their days was a mere piker to the jolly old pirate we have with us now.

To prove that the high prices of the sixties were no idle dream and the cost of foodstuffs was not to be sneezed at, Mrs. James E. Leach submits the following copy of a receipted grocer's bill.

The goods were purchased by her father.

Chicago, Feb. 21, 1865.

Bought of Knowles Brothers.

10 pounds sugar \$2.90
1 pound starch 1.00
2 pounds sugar50
2 pounds sugar crushed62
1 pound mustard60
1/2 pound black e. b. tea88
1/2 pound Oolong tea 1.00
1 ounce nutmegs15
1/2 pound gr. ginger15
1/2 pound whole pepper30
1 bag salt35
1 pound raisins30
1 pound currants28
1/4 pound whole cinnamon31
1 pound rice17
1 pound blackberries45
1/2 gallon kerosene oil50
1 jar pickles35
2 pounds barley at 12 1/225
4 pounds oatmeal50
1 bottle bluing10
1 flour sieve35

Sugar was then 39 cents—more than twice what it is now. Kerosene was \$1.00 a gallon. Oolong tea \$2 a pound and rice 17 cents.

"The workman received only from 75 cents to \$1 a day in wages," says Mrs. Leach "and couldn't afford such luxuries as tea and sugar. In fact, he lived principally on bread. Labor was plentiful and there were no strikes."

Martha Washington complained of the high cost of living before you did. This was her price list in 1776:

Meat—\$1 to \$2 per pound.
Corn—\$25 per bushel.
Rye—\$30 per bushel.
Potatoes—\$10 per bushel.
Molasses—\$12 per gallon.
Flour—\$5 per hundred weight.
Cider—\$40 per barrel.
Cheese—\$2 per pound.
Butter—\$3 per pound.
Sugar—\$3 per pound.

In 1779 sugar rose to \$4 per pound and tea the same. In 1789 butter sold for \$12 a pound and tea for \$40.

BEDFORD COUNTY GETS BACK TAXES

Harrisburg, Aug. 19, 1919.—The State Highway Department today announced that payment of the cash tax bonus due townships in Bedford county for the years 1913 and 1914 has been made by the state treasurer.

By Act of July 22, 1913, known as the "Jones Dirt Road Act" it was provided that the road tax in townships shall be collected in cash and no taxes shall be payable in labor or worked out. It was also provided that each township furnish a sworn annual report to the State Highway department showing all receipts and expenditures during the past year; and also a signed agreement showing the proposed method of expending funds received from the commonwealth. This, together with a copy of the treasurer's bond, entitled the township to receive its share of the annual bonus, which was intended

Townships	Treasurers' Name
Bedford	J. E. Smith
Bloomfield	S. H. Hinkle
Broadtop	Wade H. Figard
Colerain	C. E. Koontz
Cumberland Valley	Ida O'Doye
Harrison	W. J. Hill
Hopewell	H. G. Hall
Junata	Leonard C. Markel
King	D. L. Kauffman
Kimmell	L. H. Walter
Liberty	J. Homer Stoler
Lincoln	I. E. Imler
Londonderry	J. L. Fitchner
Mann	Samuel J. Barnes
Monroe	N. C. Mearkle
Napier	E. D. Weaver
East Providence	S. J. Pee
West Providence	P. A. Wigfield
Snake Spring	Ralph Hoover
Southampton	T. L. Perrin
East St. Clair	Geo. W. Ferguson
West St. Clair	W. C. Saylor
Union	J. C. Dibert
Woodbury	C. H. Miller
South Woodbury	S. L. Buck

Mann's Choice was defeated on Saturday August 16th by New Paris and Schellsburg, combined, with a score of 3—0. New Paris and Schellsburg said everything else has combined and gone into the trust so they decided to put their ball teams in too. Congratulations to Emanuel Miller, the butcher, of New Paris for his wonderful decisions. He surely can make them so New Paris says. But that was all that was heard saying it that way. Mann's Choice challenges either New Paris or Schellsburg for a series of three games each team to forfeit \$50 and the winner to receive the money. Each game will be played at each place, if the games are split the deciding game will be played at Bedford. For further information get in communication with H. E. Cuppett, Manager.

Claar and Walter Reunion

The sixth annual Claar and Walter Reunion will be held near Klahr Post Office August 30th 1919. Every body is cordially invited. Bring your friends and baskets

E. F. Claar, Sec.

WILLIAM CLAY SHAFFER

William Clay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shaffer, of Altoona died at the home of his parents Monday, August 11th. The funeral services were held at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Shaffer of Point, being conducted by Rev. John Winwood. Interment was made in the Fishertown cemetery. "Suffer the little children to come unto me and forbid them not for of such is the kingdom of God."

The Rev. J. Franklin Bryan, Washington D. C. a brother of Rev. Benjamin A. Bryan, pastor of Bedford circuit M. P. Church is preaching nightly at the Union Grove camp ground this week and will remain and preach at all three of the services on Sunday. Meeting is six miles from Cumberland. There will be no services in the churches on the Bedford M. P. Circuit Sunday, on account of this meeting which is a union meeting of the M. E. Church and the M. E. South of the M. P. Churches. Everybody is invited to attend these meetings. The second quarterly conference will be held in Rainsburg, Saturday, August 23rd. All are invited.

Will the profiteers dare to raise prices any higher now that the investigation of the high cost of living has been begun?

to cover an annual reimbursement from the State of 50 per cent of the total amount of road tax collected by the township as shown in the sworn statement, but not more than \$20 per mile of township road.

By Act of June 3, 1917 the provisions of the Act of July 22, 1913, were suspended until all deficiencies incurred prior to the year 1915 be paid by the commonwealth of Pennsylvania. During the 1919 session of the legislature, an appropriation of \$1,112,019.35 was made to pay in full all the deficiencies due the townships and the certification of this bonus to the State Treasurer for payment to the townships is now under way.

The amounts now being paid the townships in Bedford county are as follows: (If any townships are omitted they did not comply with requirements.)—

Addresses	Total Balance Due for 1913 & 1914 & Payable 1919
Bedford, 1	\$1,516.53
Bakers Summit	448.07
Six Mile Run	1,024.15
Lutzville 1	951.38
Cumb. Valley	762.43
Buffalo Mills	655.25
Hopewell 1	682.12
New Buena Vista	667.15
Osterburg	402.47
Queen	384.06
Saxton	496.06
Alum Bank 1	281.16
Hyndman	738.51
Inglismith	389.25
Clearville 1	955.92
New Paris	1,472.07
Breezewood	685.15
Everett 6	995.80
Everett 1	424.07
Chaneyville	442.69
Spring Hope	803.00
Cessna	724.15
Pavia	267.04
Woodbury	403.77
New Enterprise	\$16.13

Total for County \$17,389.43

MILLER — FLEEGLE

Saturday August 16th Norman Ray Miller, of Schellsburg 1 and Prudence Ethel Beagle, of Helixville were united in the bonds of Holy Matrimony in the United Brethren parsonage of New Paris by the bride's pastor Rev John Winwood. The bride is one of the faithful members of the Helixville United Brethren church and all join heartily in wishing the couple a happy and prosperous journey through life.

Baseball Victory

In a no-hit game on Saturday the 16th at Mann's Choice the New Paris Scubs beat that "Real Team" on their own grounds by the one-sided score of 3—0. The New Paris pitcher shut them out without a "hit". They only had three men to reach first base and one did get as far as second. Teams wishing to book games call A. T. Miller, New Paris, Pa.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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Bible Institute of Chicago.)
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LESSON FOR AUGUST 24

JESUS ANSWERING THE LAWYER.

LESSON TEXT—Luke 10:25-37.
GOLDEN TEXT—As we have therefore
opportunity, let us do good unto all men,
especially unto them who are of the
household of faith (Gal. 6:10).
ADDITIONAL MATERIAL—Gal. 6:2, 9;
10; James 2:14-16.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Showing kindness to
others.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Helping the needy.
INTERMEDIATE TOPIC—Our responsi-
bility to the needy of others.
SENIOR AND ADULT TOPIC—The
Christian ideal of brotherhood.

The subject chosen by the lesson
committee for today, based upon this
text, is "Social Responsibility." When
we consider the real meaning of the
text it is hard to understand why the
committee chose such a subject. How-
ever, let us with open minds and
hearts study the text; for it is of
great importance. Christ's object was
to lead the lawyer (theological pro-
fessor) to understand the need of God.

1. Eternal Life Through Obedience
to the Law (vv. 25-28).

1. The lawyer's question (v. 25). The
"lawyer" was one who expounded the
Mosaic law. The nearest position cor-
responding thereto in modern life is
the theological professor. His ques-
tion was not an effort to ascertain the
truth, but to entrap Jesus. He not
only had a wrong motive, but a defect-
ive theology. He thought that eter-
nal life could be secured by doing—
obedience. He did not know that "do-
ing" meant keeping the law in its im-
mense parts, which is an utter impos-
sibility for fallen men; that failure to
measure up to the least demand of the
law exposed him to the curse of God
(Gal. 3:10).

2. The lawyer answering his own
question (v. 27). Christ's counter-
question sent him to the law, of which
he gave a fine summary. Supreme
love to God and love to one's neigh-
bor as to ourselves is the whole of
man's duty. It is true as Jesus said:
"This do and thou shalt live" (v. 28).
But no one has ever kept the law.
"There is none righteous, no not one"
(Rom. 3:10). "All have sinned and
come short of the glory of God" (Rom.
3:23). "By the deeds of the law there
shall no flesh be justified in his sight"
(Rom. 3:20). "By the law is the
knowledge of sin" (Rom. 3:20).

11. Being a Neighbor (vv. 29-37).
1. The lawyer's question (v. 29). He
evidently keenly felt the force of
Christ's argument, for he sought to
justify himself by asking, "Who is my
neighbor?" This inquiry betrays his
lack of that love which is the fulfill-
ment of the law (Rom. 13:10). Love
never inquires as to whom to love, but
"Where is some one who needs my
love?" Christ convicted him on his
own grounds.

2. Jesus' answer (vv. 30-37). He an-
swered by a parable in which a certain
man fell among thieves on his way to
Jericho and was severely wounded.
While in this helpless condition a
priest passed by, not even coming
near; also a Levite, who was interest-
ed enough to look on him, but not
enough to help him. Finally a Samar-
itan came where the wounded man
was and, moved by compassion for
him, bound up his wounds and brought
him on his own beast to the inn,
where he was cared for at the Samar-
itan's expense. In reply to Jesus'
question the lawyer declared that the
Samaritan was neighbor to the unfor-
tunate man; and Jesus commanded
him to go and do likewise (v. 37). By
this Jesus showed him that the impor-
tant question is not, "Who is my
neighbor?" but "Whose neighbor am
I?" Jesus came seeking those to
whom he could be neighbor. Those
who have his Spirit will be trying to
be neighbors instead of hunting neigh-
bors.

Those who love God supremely will,
as they pass along the highways of
life, minister to the broken and
wounded souls in the spirit of a neigh-
bor's love, regardless of nationality, re-
ligion, character or color. May we
hear the voice of Jesus saying, "Go
and do thou likewise."

The Erring Soul.

The little I have seen in the world
teaches me to look upon the errors
of others in sorrow, not in anger.
When I take the history of one poor
heart that has sinned and suffered,
and represent to myself the struggles
and temptations it has passed
through, the brief pulsations of joy,
the feverish inquietude of hope and
fear, the pressure of want, the desec-
tion of friends, I would fain leave
him from whose hand it came.—Long
fellow.

Serving God.

To do good and to serve God are
materially the same, and the service
of God is the imitation of him.—Benja-
min Whichcote.

Daily Thought.

There are no crown wearers in
heaven who were not cross bearers
here below.—Spurgeon.

Work Cheerfully.

Do your work cheerfully, heartily
and be ever prepared for the place
farther up.—E. H. Naylor.

TEACH LOYALTY TO FOREIGNERS

FORD ENGLISH SCHOOLS INCUL-
CATE PRINCIPLES OF PURE
AMERICANISM IN STUDENTS.

TRIAL DRAWING TO A CLOSE

Attorneys Begin Final Arguments
After Ford Counsel Presents Dra-
matic Testimony On Educa-
tional Work.

Mt. Clemens, Mich.—Henry Ford's
counsel kept until the final day on
which testimony was presented, the
strongest arguments in their posses-
sion. Not until the trial was within
a few hours of its close did they bring
to the witness stand Clinton C. De-
Witt, superintendent of the Ford Eng-
lish school.

"Mr. Ford," said the witness, "was
of the opinion that you could not suc-
cessfully put over one idea while there
were 52 languages spoken in the fac-
tory, so to promote that one idea,
which was and is Americanism, he in-
sisted that every workman must learn
to speak the 'American'—not the
English—language.

"There were 3,000 students in the
school before the United States en-
tered the war and the factory was
practically turned over to government
work."

Sample lessons were read by the
witness. Parts are given as follows:
"Every good American loves and
respects the United States Flag.

"Our flag stands for liberty, justice
and peace.

"Its colors are red, white and blue.
"The red stands for love, the white
stands for purity, the blue stands for
truth."

"American flags," said the witness,
"were used profusely in the school
room and a silk flag always flutters
before an electric fan.

Teach Americanism.

The men are taught that there is no
greater title than "American citizen"
and are urged to accept the advan-
tages of education offered by this coun-
try so that they may fit themselves,
through knowledge, to defend their
liberties.

Pictures of great Americans adorn
the class rooms, special exercises are
held on the birthday of great leaders
of the nation and finally, when the
class graduates, it is presented with
souvenir American flags and is given
membership in what is known as the
"American Club." The Federal and
state courts recognize a diploma from
the Ford English school as an evi-
dence of adequate preparation for
citizenship, it was shown.

Through this testimony counsel
sought to bring out that the man
who taught 3,000 foreigners to love
their adopted country and to respect
its flag could scarcely be called an
anarchist and that a man who sought
every possible method to instill love
for the Stars and Stripes in the
hearts of those who come to it from
foreign shores, could never have
made the slanderous statements at-
tributed to him by Tribune counsel.

Mr. Ford, it was shown, loaned all
his educational workers to the gov-
ernment at the time war broke out.
The war department found the meth-
ods used in the Ford English school
so valuable that they introduced them
in all training camps. Henry Ford
paid the salaries of the men he loaned
to the government for the work.

Closing Arguments Open.

Closing arguments in the case
opened the last of the week. Attorney
Wm. Lucking led off for Ford counsel.
He called attention first to the testi-
mony which showed that The Tribune,
hot for intervention in Mexico be-
cause it thought such action would
lead to conquest or at least to great
riches for the United States, had
found Henry Ford blocking its path
just when its long campaign gave
promise of bearing fruit. Thereupon,
said the attorney, The Tribune set out
to destroy Mr. Ford's influence, to
sweep him out of its path and to still
his voice which pleaded for a course
which would help the bleeding repub-
lic to the south to regain her feet and
to strike forth on a new highroad of
education and freedom.

Attorney Weymouth Kirkland opened
for The Tribune. He declared that
what Mr. Ford had done since 1916—
when The Tribune called him an
anarchist—had nothing whatever to
do with the situation as it was when
the newspaper stigmatized the manu-
facturer as an enemy of his country.
He did not deny that Mr. Ford had
done an immense and valuable work
for the government during the war but
he claimed that this did not alter the
facts as they were before war broke
out. Mr. Ford, the attorney insisted,
was an anarchist at the time. The
Tribune described him as such, and
the truth he said was sufficient justi-
fication for the attack.

Water and the Human Body.

The specific gravity of water and
the human body is virtually the same.
A body in the water is supported by
equal pressure at all points. It is
more likely to be at ease than under
other circumstances. It is, therefore,
more likely that it may move with-
out pain. So cripples are often given
their exercise in the water.

CAPPING WHEAT SHEAVES HELPS

Rasmussen Says That Where
Proper Attention Was Given
Grain Loss Will Be Small

OATS CROP BELOW NORMAL

Short Items of Interest Gathered at
the Various State Departments
Touching Affairs of the People
of the Commonwealth.

Harrisburg.—Farmers of Pennsylva-
nia who gave attention to the proper
capping of sheaves of wheat when it
was cut this year will not suffer any-
thing like the loss that will fall upon
wheat growers who failed to exercise
care in that line, according to Secretary
of Agriculture Rasmussen who is en-
deavoring to work out some estimates
on the damage done to the big wheat
acreage because of the unusual July
rainy spell. Thanks to the extension
of the practice of threshing in the
field without stacking the wheat in
"shocks" much of the grain which
might have sprouted in the ear or
have been otherwise damaged by wet
weather escaped, but there are many
farms where the loss is going to run
high.

More wheat was planted last fall
than usual and until the wet weather
came in at harvest time it was in good
condition except for appearance of the
scab and wheat fly in some southern
counties.

The oats crop is declared to run
below normal, but the corn to be show-
ing up well and above the normal be-
cause of the weather conditions.

"I think the State College farm
shows the evidence of good wheat
care, and the loss on this farm of
275 acres will be only one per cent.
due to weather, although because of
color there will be some drop in value,"
said the Secretary. "The wheat was
properly capped and the average yield
will be 28 bushels to the acre. The
cold wet spring and the hot June
weather affected the oats materially
and there will be some disappoint-
ments in regard to that crop. The
corn looks good and the crop will like-
ly run well."

Phone Rates to Hold.

The Public Service Commission has
given the Bell Telephone Company
leave to file the present rates as those
to be effective now that the wires are
returned to the companies by the
government, but stipulated that a
hearing should be held on September
17, and notice given by advertisement
for three weeks "showing in a general
way the amount of such increases."

Few Detours Remain.

State Highway Department officials
announce that because of progress
made on State road construction on
the William Penn highway the road is
almost free of detours between Harris-
burg and Philadelphia, while on the
Lincoln highway the Ligonier detour
has been lifted.

Medical Inspector Appointed.

The appointment of Col. William
Judd Crookston, of Pittsburgh, chief
surgeon of the Twenty-eighth Division
in France, as assistant chief medical
inspector of the Department of Health,
has been announced by Commissioner
of Health Edward Martin.

To Eliminate Crossings.

The Public Service Commission is
about to complete an extensive series
of hearings on complaints of the
State Highway Department against
grade crossings on main traveled
roads of the State and orders for
abolition in the next two years will
be issued.

To Name Geologist.

Secretary of Internal Affairs Wood-
ward stated that he hoped to complete
the organization of the new bureau
of geological survey in the fall. The
Governor, he said, would take up the
appointment of a geologist with him.

Bonds Boost Funds.

Proceeds of the State's first sale of
road bonds made the July receipts of
the State Treasury the largest of any
month in years, the total being \$15,
295,921.44, of which \$12,247,548.73
came from the bonds and the prem-
iums.

Road Bids Ordered.

Bids for the construction of approx-
imately 90 miles of road work, con-
sisting of 26 projects in 19 counties,
were opened by Assistant State High-
way Commissioner George H. Biles
recently.

New Director Named.

Governor Sprout has approved the
appointment of Guy C. Smith, of
Storrs, Conn., as director of the bureau
of markets of the Department of Agri-
culture.

Contractors Lose Heavily.

State Highway Department reports
indicate heavy loss by contractors on
new State highways as a result of the
tremendous fall of rain and serious
interference with traffic and the
Highway Department's own oiling
and surfacing operations.

Ready for Preserves.

Preparations to take over several
trails for establishment of game pre-
serves before the opening of the fall
hunting season are being made by
State Game Commission officials.

DR. FAHRNEY DIAGNOSTICIAN

SPECIALIST IN CHRONIC DISEASES

You are not well. Send me your
name and address and I shall tell
you all about it and why.

HAGERSTOWN, MD.

Barrels for SALE:—Clean whisky
barrels for cider. M. Lippel, Grand
Central Hotel, Bedford
July 18 ff.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of William V. Taylor, late
of Schellburg Borough, Bedford
County, Pa., deceased.

Letters of administration on the
above estate having been granted to
the undersigned, all persons indebted
to the said estate are requested to
make prompt payment, and those
having claims to present the same
without delay to

J. HOWARD TAYLOR,
Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Frank K. Moses, late of
East St. Clair Township Bedford
County, Pa., deceased.

Letters of administration on the
above estate having been granted to
the undersigned, all persons indebted
to the said estate are requested to
make prompt payment, and those
having claims to present the same
without delay to

HARRIET MOSES,
ADA M. GRIFITH,
Administrators.

P. O. Osterburg, Pa.

E. M. PENNELL, Attorney.
August 8, 1919 6th.

NOTICE IN DIVORCE.

To Pearl C. Moore, late of New Paris
Pa.

Whereas Wilbur D. Moore, your
husband has filed a libel in the Court
of Common Pleas of Bedford County
of January Term, 1919, No. 76, pray-
ing a divorce against you, now you
are hereby notified and required to
appear in said Court on or before the
first Monday, the 1st day of Septem-
ber, next, to answer the complaint
of the said Wilbur D. Moore, and in
default of such appearance you will
be liable to have a divorce granted
in your absence.

ANDREW DODSON

Sheriff of Bedford County
B. F. MADORE, Atty. for Libellant.
Aug 8,—Aug. 29.

Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the share-
holders of the Fort Bedford Inn
Company will be held Tuesday Sep-
tember 2nd at 11 o'clock for the pur-
pose of electing Directors for the
ensuing year, and for transacting
such other business as may properly
come up before the meeting.

P. W. SMITH, Secretary
New Paris, Pa.

GEORGE POINTS, Attorney
Aug. 8, 15, 22.

Why People Buy Rat-Snap in Prefer- ence to Rat Poison.

(1) RAT-SNAP absolutely kills
rats and mice. (2) What it doesn't
kill it scares away. (3) Rats killed
with RAT-SNAP leave no smell, they
dry up inside. (4) Made in cakes, no
mixing, with other food. (5) Cats or
dogs won't touch it. Three sizes, 25c,
60c, \$1.00.
Sold and guaranteed by
Sold by Metzgar Hardware Co.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

Estate of Lewis Claar, late of Kim-
mell Township, Bedford County, Pa.,
deceased.

Letters of administration on the
above estate having been granted to
the undersigned all persons indebted
to the said estate are requested to
make prompt payment, and those
having claims to present the same
without delay to

CATHERINE CLAAR,
Administratrix d. b. n. c. t. a.
Queen, Pa.

SIMON H. SELL, Attorney.
August 8, 6th.

Worst Enemy of Birds.

The great horned owl is the worst
of the owl family as a destroyer of
game and poultry. He even extends
his depredations to rabbits and other
fur-bearing animals, and if he discover
the sleeping place of a covey of
quail he will clean them up to the last
bird.

Words From Home

Statements That May Be Investigated
Testimony of Bedford Citizens

When a Bedford Citizen comes to
the front, telling his friends and
neighbors of his experience you can
rely on his sincerity. The statements
of people residing in far away places
do not command your confidence.
Home endorsement is the kind that
backs Doan's Kidney Pills. Such tes-
timony is convincing. Investigation
proves it true. Below is a statement
of a Bedford resident. No stronger
proof of merit can be had.

W. H. Weyant, W. Pitt St. Bedford
says: "Doan's Kidney Pills are not
a new remedy to me for I have used
them off and on for a number of
years, and would not be without
them in the house. I have to be on my
feet a great deal and also have a lot
of heavy lifting to do. Often this has
brought on backache and other symp-
toms of kidney trouble. A few doses
of Doan's Kidney Pills always drives
the attacks away and I value this
medicine highly."

(Statement given October 14, 1907)

On February 10, 1919, Mr. Wey-
ant added: "I am still using Doan's
Kidney Pills and think as highly of
them now as when I first recom-
mended them."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't
simply ask for a kidney remedy—get
Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that
Mr. Weyant had. Foster-Milburn
Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Every farmer should have one or more Ford
Trucks because of the profitable results that
will follow their use. There is not any guess
work about this statement. It has been proven
on thousands of farms. If you farm, come in
and let us tell more about the Ford Truck's
value to you in sure dollars and cents saving.
It is a personal to every farmer. The Ford
Truck is a business necessity. Orders should
be left with us at once in order to get early
delivery. Price \$350.00, without body, F. O. B.
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CAMELS supply cigarette contentment beyond anything
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this carton for the home or office supply
or when you travel.

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO COMPANY
Winston-Salem, N. C.



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It's toasted to increase the good, wholesome flavor of the Kentucky Burley tobacco. A regular man's smoke and delicious!

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Are the Four Vital Requirements to Success and Happiness

I particularly invite those who are discouraged, having tried and tried, stomach ruining medicines and pills from month to month. A VISIT WILL TELL.

You are welcome to consult Dr. Hodgens about any disease or weakness. Call for a friendly and confidential talk. This will cost you nothing. His twenty-five years' experience in treating sick, weak and ailing men is an assurance that you will be treated successfully. Latest scientific methods for the cure of Chronic, Nervous, Blood, Kidney, Bladder and Special Diseases of a private nature. If you have violated the laws of nature and are conscious of a drain that is undermining your strength, do not delay. Call Today.

Are you nervous and despondent weak, and debilitated, tired mornings no ambition, lifeless, losing weight, memory gone, easily fatigued, excitable and irritable, eyes sunken, red and blurred, pimples, restless, haggard-looking, weak back, bone pain, sore throat, lack of energy and confidence.

MEN NOT SICK, YET HARDLY ABLE TO WORK COME TO ME AND HAVE A MAN TALK

THE LIFETIME RELIEF AND SATISFACTION GIVEN THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN RESTORED OF THE DISEASES BELOW BY MY METHODS SHOULD BE A GUIDING STAR TO ALL SEEKING TREATMENT.

URINARY OBSTRUCTION is a very annoying and injurious disease and it has a harmful effect upon the whole urinary system. I treat each case according to its requirements.

SPECIAL DISEASES — Itching, Burning, Scalding, Painful Passages of Water respond promptly to my treatment. It is scientific.

BLADDER AND KIDNEY DISEASE—Puffiness Under Eyes, Pain in Back, Headache, Vertigo, Swollen Extremities, Cloudy Flakes and Deposits in Urine, are quickly removed by my Special Treatment.

VARICOSES — Enlarged, knotty condition of veins, which impairs the circulation, producing a weak, debilitated condition of the nerves and mind. I successfully treat these cases without pain or injury to your powers.

NERVOUS DEBILITY is a weak and exhausted condition of the Nerves and Nerve Centers. No one can be strong and robust if this Nerve System is impaired. My treatment soon stops nervousness, mental debility and weakened vitality, and you should not delay if you are suffering from these symptoms.

GOO FOR BLOOD DISEASE—If you have inflammation of the Mucous Membrane in mouth and Throat, eruptions on any part of the body—sores, ulcers, itching of bones, spots or all discolorations of the skin, you should come to me and receive this now famous remedy. All symptoms vanish as by magic when you get the genuine.

HYDROCELE results from injury and is sometimes difficult to distinguish from rupture or varicoles. The remedy I use for correcting Hydrocele completely obliterates the tumor at once.

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Annual Preferred Dividend No. 4

The Board of Directors of the Fort Bedford Inn Co have this day declared the annual 7 per cent preferred dividend to stockholders of record August 31st, payable September 1st 1919. Checks will be mailed.

P. N. RISSER, Treas.
Aug. 8, 15, 22.

Temper and Tight Collars.
Dr. Leonard Williams, lecturing on "Common Sense," at a nursing conference and exhibition in London, said that people with tight collars did not drain their brains properly, and often suffered from bad tempers. He had noticed that since women had given up high collars and were wearing garments which gave complete freedom to the neck they had become sweeter tempered.

Prize Mixer.
"A good mixer, isn't he?" "You bet," replied a citizen of Grudge. "He can tell more funny stories, borrow more money, pay less of it back, get more signers to petitions, be elected to more lodge offices and do less honest work than any other three men in town."—Judge.

WANTED:—Experienced lady to work in restaurant; \$7.00 per week board and room.

REBECCA LONG,
403—2nd St. Juniata, Pa.
Aug. 8—15—22.

FOR SALE:—Cheap to quick-buyer. Complete line of Black Smith Tools.

D. P. BEEGLE,
Schellsburg, Pa.
Aug. 8, 15*

NOTICE TO PUBLIC:

I wish to notify all persons that my wife, Mrs. Myrtle Wilson, has left my bed and board without cause, and I therefore, will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her.

George D. Wilson,
Bedford, Pa., Rt. 3.
Aug. 8, 31*

Hears Only the Voice.
"A lack of understanding kin be mighty comfortin'," said Uncle Eben. "De worse you talk to a mule de more he feels complimented by de attention he's receivin'."

NOTICE IN PARTITION

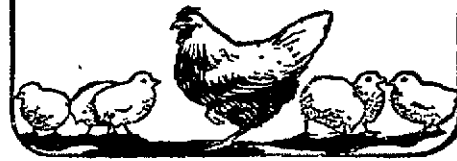
In the Court of Common Pleas of Bedford County, Pennsylvania, No. 1 April Term, 1918.

To Edward Wolfhope, Plaintiff
Mary Whitman, Rose Fickes, Angie Kane, Celia Dull, Susan Seifert, Altha Suttmiller, David Wolfhope, Stephen Wolfhope and William Wolfhope, defendants:

Take notice that said court has awarded a rule upon all parties interested to appear at a court of Common Pleas at Bedford, Pennsylvania, on Monday September 8, 1919, at 10:30 o'clock A. M. to accept or refuse to take the real estate mentioned in the writ in said case, situated in Juniata Township, said county, containing 71 acres and 76 perches at the appraised valuation of \$1094.00, or show cause why the same should not be sold, being the real estate which vested in you upon the death of Annie L. Wolfhope and William H. Wolfhope.

Attest
Andrew Dodson, Sheriff.
Charles R. Mock, Prothonotary.
SIMON H. SELL, Attorney.
August 8 31.

POULTRY FACTS



CARE OF BACK-YARD POULTRY

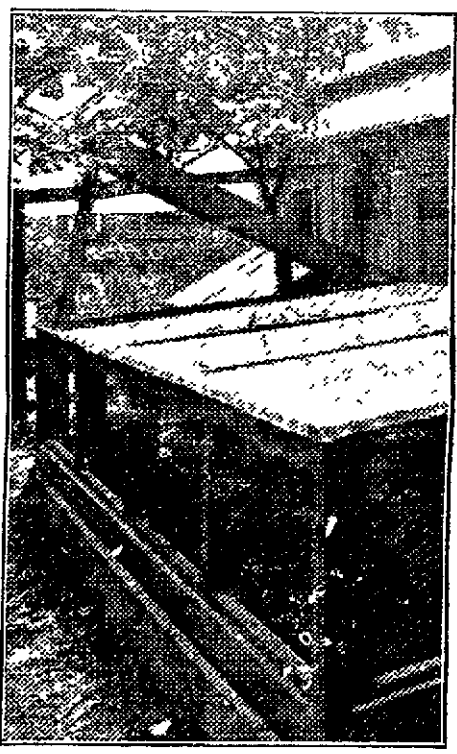
Phase of Home Production That Should Be Considered by Those Desiring Eggs and Meat.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The keeping of fowls on a town lot or in the back yard is a phase of home production that should be considered by all who desire to supply the table with eggs and meat at a cost considerably below the usual market price. Ordinarily, the keeping of from 12 to 25 hens is sufficient to provide the average family with eggs and meat. For a flock of 25 hens a space of from 20 to 30 square feet per bird should be allowed, and the yard so divided as to permit them to be alternated from one yard to the other. Thus, a lot of 25 by 30 feet, which is even smaller than the average town lot, should be the minimum space for a flock of this size. By having the yard divided cover crops, such as wheat, oats, rape, or rye, can be growing in the unused yard and when sufficiently grown the fowls be allowed to pasture it.

For a yard 25 by 30 feet, or 750 square feet in size, the above-mentioned grains may be sown in the following amounts: Wheat, 2½ pounds; oats, 1½ pounds; rye, 3¼ pounds; rape, 2¼ ounces. When available, lawn clippings make excellent green feed for fowls.

In this way the contamination of the soil and the possibility of disease are reduced to a minimum, and at



A Suitable Type of Poultry House for the Town Poultry Keeper Whose Space Is Limited.

the same time green food is provided. The actual selection of the breed should not be a difficult matter when one considers that more depends upon the way fowls are managed than upon the breed itself. Pure-bred fowls of the general-purpose or egg type purchased for a reasonable figure are well suited for backyard poultry plants. However, when pure-bred fowls can not be obtained, grades properly cared for and fed will usually produce sufficient eggs and meat for the table of the average family.

SENSIBLE TREATMENT OF HEN

Indispensable Requirements for Success Are Comfortable Quarters and Good Feed.

It makes no difference to a canary whether it is kept in a cage that cost \$10 or 10 cents, or whether it has its feed and drink in china or earthen dishes; but it makes an immense difference whether it has good care or is neglected, and whether or not its needs are properly supplied. These things are equally true of a hen. Sensible treatment is of far greater importance than stylish quarters.

A fine equipment should not be despised. It can be so used as to be of great value. Still it is not one of the vital things. The indispensable requirements for success in the poultry business are good stock; comfortable and healthful quarters; feed and drink of good quality, in proper quantity and at suitable times; and full protection from diseases and enemies.

AVOID SOUR OR MUSTY FOOD

Severe Losses Will Result From Use of Poor Feed During Hot Days of Summer.

During hot weather sour or musty food is more apt to be used for poultry feed than in the winter. Severe losses will result from the use of poor feed, so it pays to know the exact condition of the grain in the bins which may have been there for a long time. Never allow portions of the mash to remain in the troughs on hot days as it may become contaminated with dirt and then be eaten by the young stock.

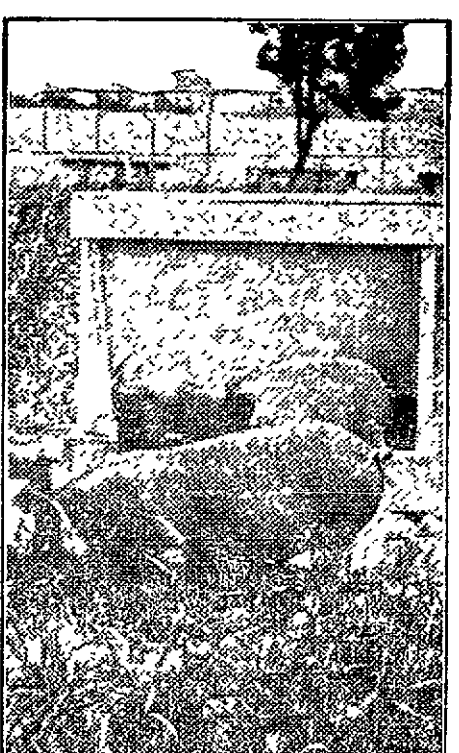
LIVE STOCK

SELF-FEEDER IS ECONOMICAL

One of Best Labor Savers and Efficient Means of Feeding Hogs—More Fencing Urged.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

One of the best labor savers and one of the most economical and efficient means of feeding hogs is the self-feeder. Experiments comparing the self-feeder with feeding by hand have been made at a number of experiment stations, and most of them have shown not only that the self-feeder is a time-saver, but that more pounds of pork will be produced with a given number of pounds of grain by using the self-feeder. This applies not only to the use of corn, but to ground and mill feeds such as tankage, shorts, middlings, peanut meal, soy-bean meal, etc. By using the self-feeder in feeding the ground and mill feeds one does



Self-Feeders Save Labor for the Hog Raiser.

away with the laborious work of feeding slop to hogs. No definite experiments have been made along the line of comparing feeds of this kind fed dry as against slop, yet some work of this kind has been done and results were very satisfactory with the self-feeder plan. Many farmers and hog growers have tried feeding these feeds in a self-feeder, and the results were fully as good or better than those obtained by the system of slop feeding.

It is highly desirable that feeds used in feeding hogs, especially corn, be fed as near as possible to the crib or granary. Feeding floors should be built adjoining corncrib or granaries holding shelled corn.

Another means of saving labor in hog growing is the more extended use of woven-wire fence. If the hog grower has all his fields and lots fenced with hog-tight fencing, he can save the waste in these fields after harvest, and can also follow the method of hogging down corn, which is highly desirable and economical.

Probably the best use to which woven-wire fencing can be put is in making possible the use of forage crops. Our best hog growers have become convinced that feeding hogs in dry lots is no longer the best method. In nearly every part of the country where hogs are grown some kind of forage crops can be successfully used, and they offer three distinct advantages: First, the saving of grain by allowing hogs to get all the green feed they want; second, the building up of the soil through the use of manure obtained from hogs continuously on these pastures, and, third, the much more sanitary conditions under which the hogs live, plus the exercise which the hogs get in pastures, both of which are necessities in successful hog growing. In some parts of the hog-growing country farmers are able to pasture their hogs 10 or 11 months in the year. In almost all parts of the country hogs can be pastured at least six or seven months.

All these practices save labor in feeding, and in addition save a considerable amount of labor in hauling up and scattering manure that accumulates when feeding under the dry-lot plan.

Many hog feeders dip or spray their hogs to keep down the lice. Many commercial hog raisers on the market are practical and effective in keeping hogs from becoming infested with lice.

The general practice of growing hogs and feeding them the grains raised on the farms has a tendency to distribute the labor throughout the year.

AID FOR OVERHEATED HORSES

Live Stock Breeders' Association of Wisconsin Gives Directions for Care of Animal.

When a horse is overcome by heat, get him in the shade, wash out his mouth and nostrils, sponge him all over, shower his legs, cool his head at once, using cold water or, better, chopped ice wrapped in a cloth or sack. Give him four ounces of aromatic spirits of ammonia, or two ounces of sweet spirits of nitre in a pint of water, or a pint of warm coffee.—Wisconsin Live Stock Breeders' association.

RIFLE PRACTICE WORK ORDERED

Militiamen Directed to Qualify With the New United States Army Rifle

POSITION MUST BE ATTAINED

Short Items of Interest Gathered at the Various State Departments Touching Affairs of the People of the Commonwealth.

Harrisburg—General orders have been issued by the Adjutant General's Department for inauguration of the rifle practice by the Reserve Militia with the new government rifle which was issued to the militiamen at the Mt. Gretna camp to replace the old Remingtons. This rifle practice will be required of everyone connected with the Militia.

The outdoor practice season began on July 21, but the gallery practice is continuous. The orders require preliminary instruction and provide detailed information regarding the use of rifle and the ranges and targets. At each range a total of sixty per cent of the possible figure in each required position must be attained before advancement to the next range. Scores once begun must be completed unless accident or stormy weather interferes.

Increases Filed.

Announcement of the filing of a number of notices of increases of stock or debt and issuance of certificates by the Public Service Commission has been made as follows: County Gas and Electric Company, Philadelphia, bonds, \$1,800,000; Renovo Edison Light Heat and Power Company, Renovo, common stock, \$18,500; Beaver County Light Company, Pittsburgh, bonds, \$24,000; Mauch Chunk and Lehigh Transit Company, Mauch Chunk, bonds, \$150,000, common stock, \$150,000; preferred stock, \$50,000; South Pittsburgh Water Company, Pittsburgh, bonds, \$5,000; Eastern Pennsylvania Railways Company, Pottsville, bonds, \$198,000; Allentown-Bethlehem Gas Company, Allentown, bonds, \$210,000; Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, Philadelphia, equipment trust certificates, \$88,000 and bonds, \$174,000; New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railroad, bonds, \$821,000; Cambria and Indiana Railroad, Philadelphia, notes, \$800,000.

To Begin Inspection.

First inspection of lands proposed for the next State game preserve in Western Pennsylvania will be made by Dr. Charles B. Penrose, chairman; Dr. Joseph Kalbfus, secretary, and John M. Phillips, member of the State Game Commission. Several properties are being surveyed. If the lands are suited purchases will be made very soon.

Many Bids Opened.

Bids were opened at the State Highway Department for over 60 miles of State Highway on main routes, some of which will connect with county projects for improvements.

Taking in Veterans.

Steps will be taken later in the month to complete the enlistment of the new troop of the State Police now being organized. The State will erect a barracks near the State Arsenal this fall for the new troop, which will be composed almost entirely of overseas veterans.

To Eject Squatters.

The State Forestry Department will take steps to eject squatters off State forest lands immediately.

Many Trees Set Out.

According to State Forestry officials in the neighborhood of 44,000,000 young trees have been set out by the State Forestry Department in the last fifteen years. This year may break the record.

Mystery Is Solved.

The State Highway Department has solved the disappearance of the whitewash from the posts along state roads. The whitewash is made with salt as a preservative and woodchucks have been tearing it off and eating the mixture for the salt. Road inspectors found the chucks at it in Fayette county.

Commission Reappointed.

Governor Sproul has reappointed Chairman Harry A. Mackey, Philadelphia, and Commissioners John A. Scott, Indiana, and Paul W. Houck, Shenandoah, as members of the State Workmen's Compensation Board, under the act just approved for the reorganization of the bureau.

Want Fish Laws.

Requests for copies of the new laws relative to fishing are being made at the State Department of Fisheries at the rate of 100 a day. It is especially the changes to the fishing code have been given.

To Inspect Dams.

State Water Supply engineers have been made examiners of dams of a score of counties immediate reports.

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Rev. C. R. Allenbach, Pastor.
Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Morning worship with sermon upon the subject "The Secret Success," at 11 o'clock. Evening worship at 7:30. Theme, "Solomon" Wednesday evening service at 7:30. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and worship with us.

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You may think what effect does it have on me? Will it mean higher Cost of living, less comfort no schools, and many more things that I could mention. We have so far failed to recognize these things. It is our duty as laboring men to make a study of these conditions. We must get behind this movement and help our Brothers who are put into office. Benefit him in this way and this sentiment tends to Liberty. I thank you

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Resolved: That this class tender its heartfelt sympathy to the family of our deceased sister in their sad affliction.

Mrs. M. E. Bruckman and Mrs. C. H. Steckman and Mrs. R. R. Griffith called at the home of D. C. Blankle

The following spent Thursday evening with Amicks: Misses Lottie Shaffer, Hattie Sipes, Rula Feight, Lillian Amick, Ellen Thompson and Miriam Foreman. Messrs Elmer Sig-

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Mrs. H. H. Lysinger and son Ross of Bedford and Mr. E. E. Mortimore and family of Dayton Ohio called on Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Ritchey Friday

Miss Margaret Heit is visiting friends and relatives in Altoona. Miss Eva Galloway of Duquene, Pa., is spending her vacation with her sister Mrs. Hubert Ritchey.

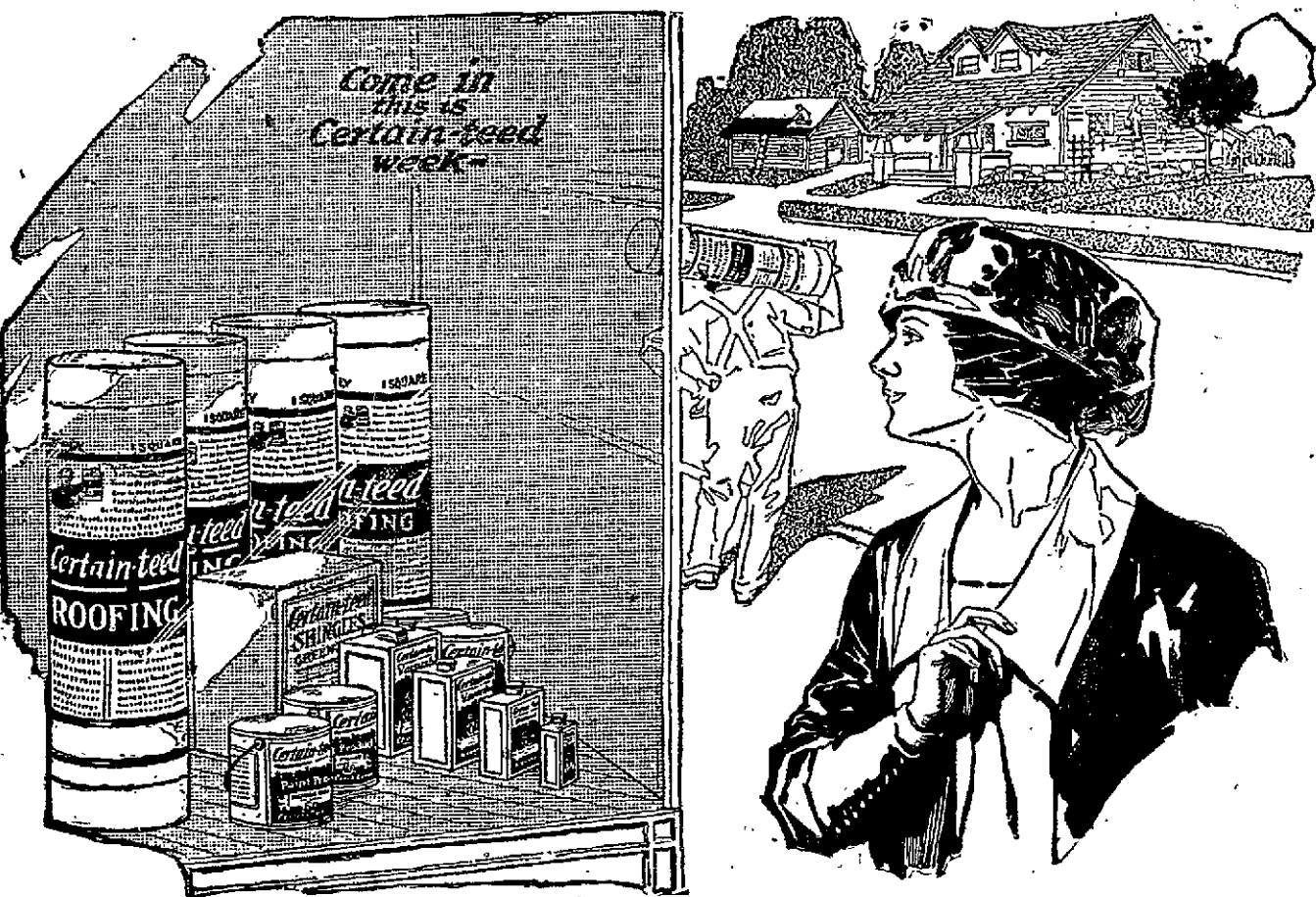
Mr. M. F. Amick of Ellerslie Md. visited at his home here on Sunday.

Mr Ross Clark is wearing his hat on ear since Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bollinger of Sewickley Heights who are stopping at the Bedford Springs for some time called on Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Ritchey Saturday.

The following spent Thursday evening with Amicks: Misses Lottie Shaffer, Hattie Sipes, Rula Feight, Lillian Amick, Ellen Thompson and Miriam Foreman. Messrs Elmer Sigler and George Fisher and Mrs.

ry Thompson and Mrs. Edgar Foreman
de of the Bedford Springs.



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LA FAYETTEVILLE

Miss Mazie Claar spent the past week visiting friends at Fishertown. Mr. Jerry Reffner of Altoona returned home after spending some time with his sister Mr. Jane Helsel. Mrs. Noah Claar of Queen spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. John Detwiler.

Miss Barbara Teeter of Baker's Summit spent Saturday night with her friend Miss Mary Claar.

A large number of folks from our vicinity attended Camp meeting at Fishertown Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Mauk, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Mauk and daughter Pauline attended the Kauffman Reunion at Osterburg Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ebersole, son Elvin and daughter Maurie spent Sunday at Dauph Meyers and family of Ore Hill.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Hermie Steele, late of Bloomfield Township Bedford County, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted the undersigned executors named in the last will and testament of Hermie Steele late of Bloomfield Township Bedford County, Pa., deceased, all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are hereby notified to present the same without delay for payment and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment of the same.

Miles Snyder,
Stanley Snyder,
Executors.

ALVIN L. LITTLE, Attorney
Aug. 22, to Sept. 6.

Bedford Presbyterian Church
K. A. Bishara, Pastor

Sunday school 10 A. M. Divine worship 11 A. M. Theme "What is Truth?" Timely message on Jesus' program. Christian Endeavor 6:45—only evening service. All welcome.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE

To the Voters of Bedford County:

I am a non-partisan candidate for the office of Associate Judge of the Courts of Bedford County at the primaries to be held Tuesday September 16, 1919. I would like to have your vote and influence at that time.
GEORGE S. KAGARISE,
P. O. Salemville, Pa.

To the Voters of Bedford County:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Associate Judge to be voted for at the primary election to be held Tuesday September 16, 1919. Your vote and influence are solicited.
Anthony Sammel,
Bedford, Pa.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

To the Democrats of Bedford County:

I am a candidate for the nomination of County Treasurer on the Democratic ticket at the primaries to be held Tuesday September 16, 1919. I would like to have your vote and influence at that time.
IRVIN M. EBERSOLE,
South Woodbury Township
P. O. New Enterprise Pa. Rt. 1

To the Democratic Voters of Bedford County:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of County Treasurer of Bedford County subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election to be held Tuesday, September 16, 1919.
JAMES F. BOOR,
Broad Top Township
P. O. Riddlesburg, Pa.

FOR PROTHONOTARY

To the Democratic Voters of Bedford County:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate on the Democratic ticket for the nomination of Prothonotary and Clerk of the Courts of Bedford County to be voted for at the primary election to be held Tuesday September 16, 1919. Your vote and influence are solicited.
R. PEYTON TURNER,
Everett Borough.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

To the Democratic Voters of Bedford County:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of District Attorney of Bedford County subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election to be held Tuesday September 16, 1919.
EMORY D. CLAAR,
Bedford Township

REGISTER AND RECORDER

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Register and Recorder of Bedford County subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election to be held Tuesday, September 16, 1919.
JASPER LUMAN,
Hyndman Boro.
Hyndman, Pa.

To the Democrats of Bedford County

To the Democratic Voters of Bedford County:

I am a candidate for the nomination for Register and Recorder on the Democratic ticket and would like to have your vote and influence at the Primary to be held Tuesday September 16, 1919.
Yours truly,
PAUL REED,
Bedford Borough.

FOR COUNTY AUDITOR

To the Democratic Voters of Bedford County:

I wish to announce that I am a candidate for County Auditor on the Democratic ticket at the coming primaries Tuesday September 16, 1919. I would like to have your vote and your influence.

IRA ROBINSON,
Mann Township.
P. O. Purcell, Pa.

To the Democratic Voters of Bedford County:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Auditor on the Democratic ticket in the primaries to be held Tuesday September 16, 1919. I ask to have your vote and your good will in the campaign.
CHARLES W. LYNCH,
West Providence Township.
P. O. Everett, Pa. Rt. 4.

To the Democratic Voters of Bedford County:

I wish to announce that I am a candidate for the nomination of County Auditor on the Democratic ticket at the coming primaries, Tuesday, September 16, 1919. I would like to have your vote and your influence.

F. P. Barton,
East Providence Township
P. O. Breezewood, Pa.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

To the Democratic Voters of Bedford County:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Commissioner on the Democratic ticket in the primaries held Tuesday September 16, 1919. I ask to have your vote and your good will in the campaign.
WILLIAM B. WEYANT,
King Township,
P. O. Imber, Pa.

To the Democratic Voters of Bedford County:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate on the Democratic ticket for the nomination of County Commissioner to be voted for at the primary election to be held Tuesday September 16, 1919. Your vote and influence are solicited.
JOHN I. MARKS,
Everett Borough.
P. O. Everett, Pa.

To the Democratic Voters of Bedford County:

I am a candidate for the nomination of County Commissioner on the Democratic ticket at the primaries to be held Tuesday September 16, 1919. I would like to have your vote and influence at that time.
James I. Pockler,
Liberty Township
P. O. Saxton, Pa.

To the Democratic Voters of Bedford County:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate on the Democratic ticket for the nomination for the office of County Commissioner at the Primary election Tuesday, September 16, 1919. I would like to have your vote and your influence at that time.
NEVIN DIEHL,
Bedford Township
P. O. Bedford, Pa., R. F. D.

To the Democrats of Bedford County:

I am a candidate for the nomination for County Commissioner on the Democratic ticket and would like to have your vote and influence at the Primary to be held Tuesday September 16, 1919.
Yours truly,
CONDA CASTEEL,
Bedford Township,
P. O. Bedford, Pa. R. F. D. 1

To the Democratic Voters of Bedford County:

I wish to announce that I am a candidate for County Commissioner on the Democratic ticket at the coming primaries Tuesday, September 16, 1919. I would like to have your vote and your influence.

ROSS A. STIVER,
Bedford Borough,
P. O. Bedford, Pa.

FOR POOR DIRECTOR

To the Democratic Voters of Bedford County:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate on the Democratic ticket for the nomination for the office of Poor Director at the Primary election Tuesday September 16, 1919. I would like to have your vote and your influence at that time.

J. B. FINDLEY,
Napier Township
P. O. Schellsburg Rt. 1.

To the Democratic Voters of Bedford County:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate on the Democratic ticket for the nomination of Poor Director of Bedford County to be voted for at the primary election to be held Tuesday, September 16, 1919. Your vote and influence are solicited.
M. E. KENSINGER,
Liberty Township
P. O. Saxton, Pa.

FOR SHERIFF

To the Democratic Voters of Bedford County:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate on the Democratic ticket for the nomination for the office of Sheriff at the Primary election Tuesday, September 16, 1919. I would like to have your vote and your influence at that time.
James A. Benner,
Saxton Borough.

FOR CORONER

DR. C. O. MILLER
Saxton, Pa.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR

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Nudges



The Kaiser got as the poet of several years ago described:—

The Engine groaned.
The wheels did creak.
The steam did whistle
And the boiler did leak.
They found it was rusted,
And all of a sudden,
The damed thing busted

If we cannot stop the profiteers we can at least can their foodstuffs.

The truth is mighty, in spite of the fact that does not always make right.

Lettuce must be served young. So young that you have to wash and dress it.

In signing Peace treaties the pen becomes mightier than the sword.

You can utilize your empties by bottling up a little sunshine for a rainy day.

Some people merely play the piano to kill time and mostly get it done, too and worry others nearly to death.

Don't forget that even the undertakers cannot make a living in a dead town.

It's a great Godsend that Dry and July rhyme so nicely.

It is mighty hard to face the world with a good heart when you don't have a good liver.

Try to make your storm shoes last as long as possible, but never wear your house shoes out.

George Barleycorn opened the Pleasantville school Monday very auspiciously. On the opening morning he had all the members of the board of trustees on hand and in his opening speech said some awfully nice things about every member of the board, and it is now almost certain he will be elected next year for another term.

A straw vote was held between President Wilson, William H. Taft and Harry Aaron at Chaneyville yesterday for president of the United States and the result was excitingly close as the three were tied for the office. As "Phip" Boor was not in town he will be allowed to vote when he gets in from a fishing trip and it is believed he will cast his vote for Harry who is an all round good fellow.

The next day after the government started the investigation of the high cost of living, George Morse received a roll of bologna sausage accompanied by the bill, and he was forced to announce that the price per pound for this delicacy would have to be advanced five cents a pound. This caused several to lose interest in the H. C. L. fight. George says if the advance puts him in a bad light before the public he cannot help it as he does not propose to lose money to be popular.

Sam Findley is watching the high cost of living proceedings with a good deal of interest, as he has been pretty "hard run" for several months.

The girls remain the special attraction for young men and old men alike at all seasons of the year. And the girl is always training and costumeing herself to be booked as this special attraction.

The corn crop and the Mail Carrier's buggy are needing rain very bad.

Have you ever heard these remarks: "We got there just as the train was pulling out." "The tire blew out while we were going along on level ground." "If I had somebody to back me I am sure I could make the scheme go."

Prof. Jack Crissman who has been making some scientific investigations and research, has gained this bit of information:

"The unassuming frog has at last had the rays from the lantern of publicity directed toward its green back. It was dragged out from its hiding place in the tall grass of the damp lowlands by some judge who had to decide whether a frog was an animal or a fish or an insect. The judge, like all good judges, of course did not know but after going carefully over all of the evidence brought forth by scientists and others render the decision that a frog is a frog and nothing more. This will forever set all other decisions in the shade, and those who now gaze upon the frog may do so with perfect assurance that they are looking at a frog."

The Cumberland Valley Band failed to get to the S. S. Convention in lower Cumberland Valley the other week as reported so they substituted "Chin Music" and some thought it was the band as they heard it up at Teaherry through Charley Wertz's phone and Nooner Wertz was sure it was the band.

Beauty and Beethoven

By R. RAY BAKER

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There was nothing Angora or otherwise stylish about Beethoven. He came of a family of ordinary striped gray and black cats, but he was far from being an ordinary cat. At least such was the opinion of Velma Blake, who occupied two rooms on the third floor back in the Jordan flats, and who adopted the feline wanderer and christened him.

Velma was employed as head of the music department in the Emporium five and ten-cent establishment. She was a pretty busy girl and also she was a pretty, busy girl. With or without the comma the phrase fits. She had little time to spend in the care of pets, but when a stray cat knocks at one's door and one happens to be particularly fond of that species of animal, what can one do but offer a home?

She took him in and fed him, and as he proceeded to make himself comfortable and refused to leave the vicinity of her rooms when she set him out in the hall, she was forced to the conclusion that she was elected to be the creature's mandatory.

Velma's roommate didn't care for cats. "Why didn't you get a dog?" she demanded, but she managed to reconcile herself, in time, to the addition to the little family.

Beethoven proved to be a mysterious being. He would vanish for two or three days at a time, and then suddenly reappear and remain at home for a period of equal length, making his arrival known by the usual wailing serenade. Velma got used to these comings and goings, for there was a certain amount of regularity about them, and soon she was able to forecast almost with certainty the day and hour the wanderer would return from his sojourn.

At the front of the apartment house, in the basement, lived Ned Sayre, a bachelor young man. He shared the rooms with an acquaintance, but his life was rather lonely, for the two had little in common, although they got along well enough together.

Like Velma, Ned was a cat fancier, and like her he had taken possession of one that paid him a visit on two or three occasions when his living-room window was open. The roommate voiced some objections, but these were overruled, the Beauty, as the cat was christened, soon occupied a welcome place in the household, if two rooms and a bath may be called such.

Like Beethoven, Beauty went away on strange missions which he never explained or even tried to explain. Ned's duty as clerk in a haberdashery kept him away from home most of the day, and it is next to impossible to follow a cat in the dark, so Beauty's whereabouts during these periodical absences remained a secret.

Ned was of a timid nature; that is, he was timid when a member of the other sex was in proximity. However, he had struck up an acquaintance with Velma Blake and had got to the stage where he could relapse into a day dream when crossing the busiest corner of the busiest street.

He mustered sufficient courage once a week to take Velma to a theater or some other kind of entertainment, but had never been in her apartment, that being against the rules of the house. Consequently he was never introduced to her Beethoven.

Such trivial subjects as cats are not often discussed between young men and young women who are keeping company. There are more important matters, such as music, bon-bons, automobiles, vaudeville and clothes; so why should a couple of stray pets get into the conversation? It would be a queer way to carry on a love affair, would it not? Can you imagine a couple holding hands and at the same time a heated argument concerning the merits of their respective cats? So, in spite of the fact that both Velma and Ned were very fond of their pets, the subject never entered their talk.

Two things puzzled Ned, and the more he thought about them the more puzzled he became. One was the peculiar and repeated disappearance of Beauty and the other was how to win Velma for his lifelong partner. Rather a strange combination of worries for a young man, but Ned could not understand the girl any more than he could the cat.

Similar mysteries concerned Velma. One was the strange absences of Beethoven, and the other was how to win Ned for the head of her family. If one of them had been able to look into the other's mind there would have been no trouble about solving one of the puzzles, and of course that was the more important one of the two.

Just when it seemed that Ned and Velma were beginning to understand each other something happened that made them both miserable. Ned had arranged to take Velma to a theatrical performance, but she sent him a note saying she would be busy that evening and could not see him.

It made him downcast for a while, but he recovered from the attack of the blues and invited his roommate to the show in Velma's stead. On the way to the theater they met Velma with a young man.

Ned formed the same conclusion almost as any other fellow would have formed in similar circumstances.

He decided that he had been "thrown over" and, having a proud, sensitive nature, he resolved to stay away from Velma.

He did not know that the head of the music sales department of the entire nation-wide chain of emporium stores was in the city that evening to take an inventory of the two local establishments and that Velma and this official were simply on their way from one of the stores to the other when Ned saw them.

When Velma said she would be busy that night she meant it in a literal sense, and she was not entertaining some other young man, notwithstanding appearances.

Velma felt as bad about it as Ned, but she likewise possessed a considerable amount of pride, and, knowing she was in the right, although realizing the circumstantial evidence was against her, she would not permit herself to take the first step toward a reconciliation.

One evening, shortly after the "busy" one, while she was trying to read and failing because of thoughts that intruded, she suddenly came to a realization that Beethoven had disappeared. He had been in the room only a moment previous and must have slipped out when Velma went to the ice box at the end of the hall. Here was a chance to give her mind diversion and at the same time perhaps fathom the mystery of the missing cat. She stepped to the door and looked out.

Yes, far down the hall was Beethoven, just starting down the stairs. She followed him to the second and then to the first floor, and finally into the back part of the basement, which was used as a storehouse and which contained the furnace. From a distance she saw the cat crawl through a window of the basement, and she hurried upstairs and darted outside.

Beethoven was walking close to the building, peering into various windows that came in his way. She saw him stop before one near the front of the house, and as she watched a hand came out of the aperture and seized the cat, drawing him inside. Without stopping to consider whose room Beethoven had entered, Velma hurried to the window and stood looking down at Ned holding the cat in his arms.

"What are you doing with my cat?" she demanded, in what was intended to be stern tones.

"Your cat?" Ned inquired, trying to be somewhat cold. "What do you mean? This is my cat."

"It's mine and his name is Beethoven!" she snapped.

Each looked defiance at the other for a moment, then smiles took the place of scowls on both the faces.

"We both seem to own him," Velma said, demurely, kicking a pebble with her small boot. "What can we do to settle it?"

A desperate thought entered Ned's mind. Here was a chance to find out his fate and all the uncertainty he had been laboring under for months. Fearing he would be lost if he hesitated, he gave voice to the big idea without waiting for a chance to change his mind.

Standing there framed by the basement window, a cat crawling over his shoulder, looking up eagerly and somewhat timorously at a girl outside who was kicking a pebble around foolishly to hide her confusion, he said: "There's only one way I know. Let's form a permanent partnership of ourselves, and that will make all three of us happy. At least, I am in hopes that it will."

She gave the pebble a furious kick that sent it spinning away.

"It sure will," was her reply.

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

CO-OPERATIVE SHIPPING PLAN

Boys of Florida County to Market Their Pigs in Carloads—Engaged in Feed Contest.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The pig club boys of Madison county, Fla., are planning to market their pigs next fall in a co-operative carload shipment. These boys are now busily engaged in a feeding contest and are working for one of a number of prizes offered for the most successful feeders. Peanut meal and corn, with rape and rye pastures, make up the present rations of the club pigs. The local county agent has already informed a number of livestock commission companies of the plan of marketing the club pigs, and states that the buyer will have to bid above the market price to get them.

FATTENING ON SELF-FEEDERS

Hogs Fed in This Manner Save Feed and Labor and Are Fit for Market Much Earlier.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Fatten hogs on self-feeders as far as possible. Hogs fed in this way save labor, save feed in proportion to the gain in weight made, and are ready for market sooner than those which are hand fed. Less feed is actually required to fatten when hogs are self fed. The system is therefore economical in every respect.

LIVE STOCK NOTES

The horses should be given plenty of fresh water regularly every day.

Regular feeding is of paramount importance in keeping stock in a healthy condition.

FORMS OF LIMING MATERIAL

The Relative Action of Each in Improving the Chemical and Mechanical Conditions of Soils.

Assists in Decomposition of Organic Matter for Humus Supply.

Makes Heavy Soils More Crumbly and Friable for Better Root Penetration.

The actions of lime on soils are many fold. It is the common impression among many that it is of value only on low wet land which is commonly assumed to be sour. Many persons realize that soils become sour under cultivation and that lime corrects acidity, but there are few who really realize the importance of its use or the relative value of the different forms and the action of each. On the other hand, many farmers buy whatever may be had without full consideration of the relative value of the different materials that may be applied.

Lime is a plant food, and in many cases its application may serve that function. Generally soils contain enough calcium to supply the requirements of crops, but alfalfa and other closely related crops require not only a sweet soil, but enough lime to supply their large needs of that element.

The indirect actions of lime are even greater than its effects as a food. These effects are numerous and are not the same on all soils. In heavy soils lime improves the mechanical condition and the capacity to take up and hold moisture. It acts upon the supply of plant food stored in the soil and assists the decomposition of organic matter and mineral substances. Most important of all is the influence which lime exerts upon the microscopic life of the soil, so essential in changing dormant to active forms of plant food.

The mechanical effects of lime are intricate in nature and less well understood than the chemical and bacteriological effects, and yet they are very important, though they are not so easily measured.

Burned limes are more effective in this change than carbonate (limestone) forms. Every farmer who has used burned, hydrated or prepared slaked lime has undoubtedly noticed that heavy soils become less sticky, more crumbly, more friable, more easily cultivated, and water passes through them more rapidly as a result of increased porosity. They dry out more readily after a rain, and in spring, plowing or planting is advanced. This condition is brought about by the flocculation or aggregation of the fine clay particles.

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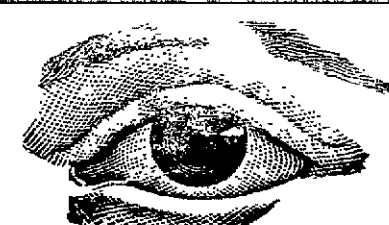
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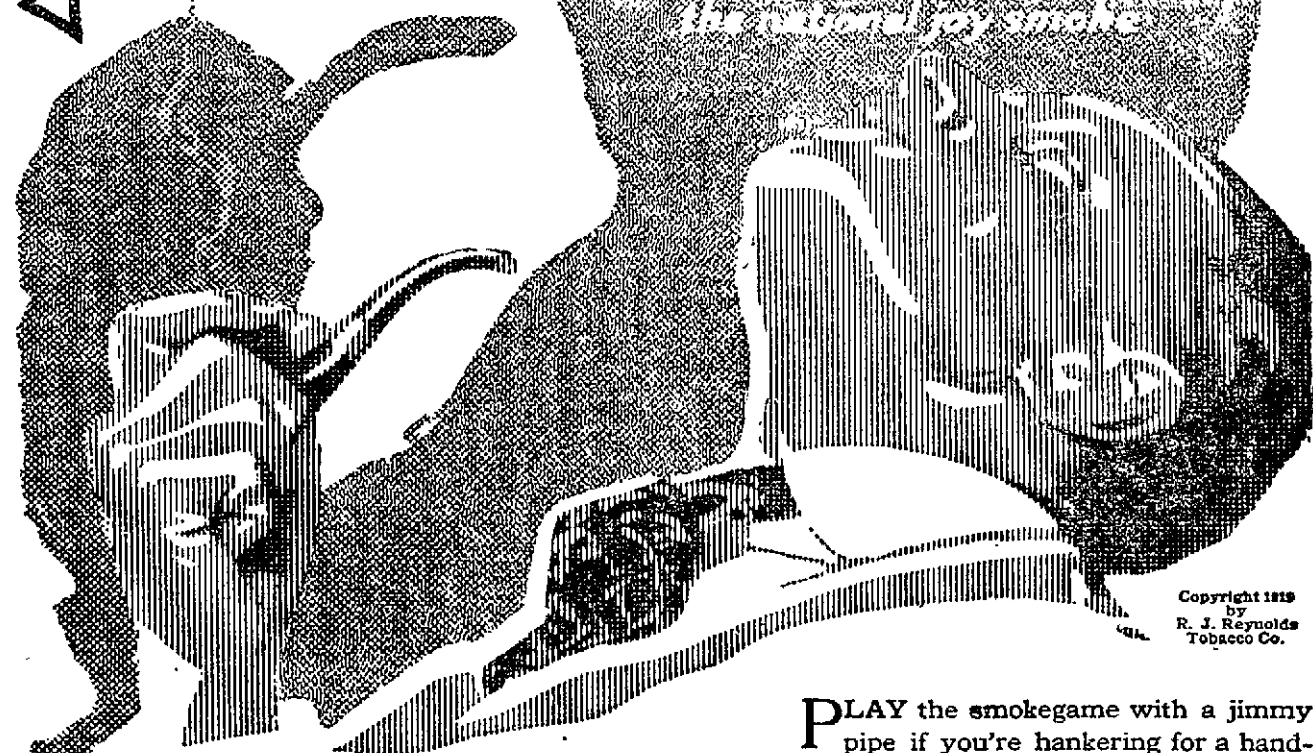
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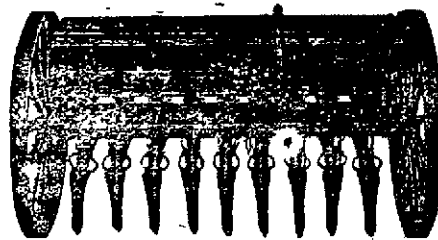
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General notice has been issued to all Deputies of Collector Ephraim Lederer, of the First Internal Revenue Collection District of Pennsylvania now including the former Ninth District Office at Lancaster Pennsylvania, to the effect that hereafter no payments of income, special, or miscellaneous taxes will be accepted in the form of check or money order. This ruling will prevent the local deputy from accepting cash payments as heretofore, and he will therefore expect all taxpayers to be prepared to pay their taxes by check or money order, made payable to the "Collector of Internal Revenue."

To Holders of the First Mortgage 6 per cent Bonds of the Fort Bedford Inn Company.

Pursuant to terms of mortgage dated September 1st 1915, \$2500.00 of the first mortgage 6 per cent bonds of the Fort Bedford Inn Co. due September 1st 1915, numbers 23,76, 47, 58, and 51 have been drawn for redemption by lot at 101 and accrued interest as of September 1st 1919, when all interest thereon will cease.

Above bond with all unmaturing coupons attached, should be presented for payment at office of Trustee on or before September 1st 1919. Bedford County Trust Co. Trustee. P. N. RISSER, Treas. August 8, 15, 22.

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Terms of sale: On personal property, on sums of five dollars and under cash and all sums over five dollars, a credit of six months will be allowed by the giving of note with approved security.

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is to avoid the repetition of this event. The world has grown smaller the relations of its nations are commercially and socially more intimate and interdependent than those of our States a hundred years ago. Any great war must now be our concern. No more than in face of our pioneer movement westward the Mississippi Valley could escape inclusion in our Nation can we now escape inclusion in the world State.

I am not one of those who pretend that I know what Lincoln would say about the League of Nations if he were on earth today. His "with malice toward none and with charity for all," and every line of his Gettysburg speech breathe anything but adherence to the old system. Nor do I know what Washington would say, though of course many Senators do. His warning against entangling alliances was spoken while we had three million colonists, when the nations of Europe, each stronger than we were, were engaged in a struggle for a mastery which would leave the victors prepared to punish any outside interference. Washington's object of the moment was not our security. That is precisely the object of the League of Nations today.

If for no other reason, I am for it in the interest of my pocketbook. Every American should be for it if he wishes to prosper. We have become the great creditor Nation of the world. Instead of borrowing from Europe, we are using the interest money which Europe, with its developed resources, used to receive, to develop our own unlimited resources. There is nothing for us to gain, and all to lose in war. Any system which secures us in our possession without extra expense for armament is good business for us. As a Nation we have not forgot to remind the other nations that we stand for peace and good will, and for all the principles that will give people the free enjoyment of self-rule. Shall we, who have preached loudly, show little faith in practice? For us to stand out from the only League of Nations now to be had is to say to Europe that we are strong enough to go alone. It is striking an attitude of defiance. It is making us a partisan of the old system. Such action will confirm all the defenders of the old system in Europe in their espousal of force as the guiding factor of nations, and will discredit all the elements that are working for progress.

The advocates of the old system, given the opportunity, will be prompt to excite fresh enmities and new selfish alliances among the nations. Do not forget that Prussia and France once had an alliance. Italy was the ally of Germany before this war began. France and Great Britain were at swords' points over Fashoda only twenty years ago. It is only a short time since the pens of British jingo-ists later to acclaim the Czar's victories over the Germans as blows for freedom—were spilling their bile over that monstrous autocracy threatening India, Persia and Constantinople. Political combinations will change rapidly in Europe if we revert to the old system. Europe is hungry and poor, with opinions singularly subject to the emotions which are the legacy of the war. Nations thinking of their dead, and seeing us rich from war with losses slight, will hardly favor the new system when we turn against it.

Do we want to excite the predatoriness of all the world against us when we have a land capable of supporting five times our population? This is not an idle question, as any one who has recently been in Europe well knows. It is a burning question which we must answer now in face of future results. If we are to say, "Yes, after all we are for the system, then we must stunt our appropriations for roads, schools and public health and better conditions for our workers, increase our taxes, immediately establish universal service and build vast fleets for the protection of our exposed coasts against assaults.

As for American mandates for Armenia—does that really sound sensible? Once Europe's equilibrium is restored, does any one think that European pride would welcome American soldiers policing a region which naturally belongs in the domain of European interests. This talk of our having to police Europe under the League of Nations is a catch phrase, developed from the sniping on the side lines at the Peace Conference by army staffs and propagandists of selfish national interests under the influence of the old system in order to win American adherence to certain European annexations.

Our mandates will be on our own continent. This stands to reason and we must leave something to reason and good will or we can never carry out the League of Nations. Mexico is in turmoil. Hitherto any suggestion that we put her on her feet has met with the outcry from the great progressive nations of South America that our action was the opening wedge for the conquest

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Ivory or P. & G. Soap, 10 cakes 75c	Gold Medal Corn Flakes, package 9c
Large Bottle Blueing 10c	Extra Large Can Thomas Army Baked Beans, net weight 14c
Chlorinated Lime, box 13c	36 ounces 19c
Gold Dust, large package 22c	Fine Grade Loose Cocoa, lb. 33c
Star Naptha Washing Powder 9c	6 lbs. loose Rolled Oats 39c
Preste Flake, package 9c	45c grade Chase & Sanborn Coffee, lb. 39c

of the continent. Under the League of Nations any measures that we may take for the betterment of conditions in any backward American state which needs a helping hand to start it on the right path will be under the guarantee of the Supreme Court of the United States of the World. Our good faith will be vouched for by our fellow nations. The diplomatic intrigues between European and Latin American nations which each has considered necessary to protect its own interests under the old system will cease to exist, because they will be as superfluous as preparing dugouts against bombardments from Mars. Our intervention will be in the same category as relief measures for a disaster by flood or fire within our own territorial domain.

Undoubtedly there are flaws in the League. The Shantung provision is odious. I have read and reread Article X, without seeing in it the dangers which others have found. If re-

servations must be made, then make them, without weakening the great principle which is the guiding force of the League.

But why should not the Senate divide on the issue itself rather than as the Republicans and Democrats. Some Republicans who think that they have foresight are asking why the Republican leaders in the Senate should allow Woodrow Wilson to make the League his political property. If William Smith, Republican, had been President when the world demanded a League, would the Democrats have been against it? No doubt.

LOYSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wolf, Mr. James Little and Mrs. Sarah Bosler Sundayed at Saxton last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Guyer and daughters Ariene, Wilma and Reba of Curry, Pa., also Annie and W. A. Butts Sundayed in Altoona last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Chester Lickie. Mrs. Lickie is a daughter of W. A. Butts. All did justice to the dinner prepared by Mrs. Lickie.

Quite a number of guests arrived at the Hotel the last few days, mostly from Pittsburgh, and Altoona. One lady is detained on account of her son positively refusing to go home yet.

Some of our neighbors are digging their potatoes which had been planted early. They report that the crop is below the average.

A lot of our farmers have their fall plowing done and are waiting for the time to seed.

Last Saturday night quite a wind and rain storm passed over this section.

Our town was full on Tuesday evening. The joy riders parade and a Grangers meeting were the causes of the jam. (Town full? Where did they get it?)

Mr. Charles Fisher and family of Altoona are camping in Mr. Wilson Guyer's meadow for a week or ten days.

Miss Luella Brown, one of the U. S. A. nurses is home. She was recently discharged from Camp Dix, N. J. Hospital.

Mr. John Dittmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dittmer and Dr. James A. Shaffer, formerly a physician here have returned from France and Italy. Dr. Shaffer is not discharged yet but is home for a few days furlough to visit his wife and children. He expects to be discharged soon from Chillicothe, Ohio.

Al Butts is somewhat down in the lip on account of the recent rains keeping the river high and muddy so he cannot fish for bass.

Last Thursday was a good day for fishing at the river for quite a number of our people were at Cypher, Kyhooks, and Ritchey Bridge. Not many fish were caught but everyone had a good time in general.

Rev. Bruce A. Wentz was in Roaring Springs on business Monday. He has also been visiting his parishioners the last few days.

Friend's Cove Lutheran Charge A. B. Miller, pastor

Bald Hill: Sunday School, Sunday morning at 10. Preaching at 11. Catechetical instructions after preaching. St. Marks: Sunday School, Sunday afternoon at 1:30. Preaching at 2:30

Catechetical instructions after preaching.

St. James: Sunday School Sunday morning at 10. Preaching Sunday evening at 8. This is the last Sunday for paying this year's Benevolence.

Cumberland Valley Sunday School Sunday morning at 10.

Friend's Cove Reformed Charge Walter C. Pugh, pastor.

Sunday August 24th Holy Communion at Zion 11:00 A. M. Divine Worship at Trinity 3:00 P. M. Sunday School at Zion and Cove 10:00 A. M. and at Trinity 2:00 P. M.

Preparatory services at Zion, Friday August 22nd at 8:30 P. M.

The Sunday Schools of Friend's Cove will picnic Saturday August 23 at Ryan's Wood's. Everybody invited. Games and amusements for young and old. Horse-shoe pitching. Croquet tournament and other games.

Daily Thought

The formation of culture, as of character, is at last the moral sentiment. Emerson.